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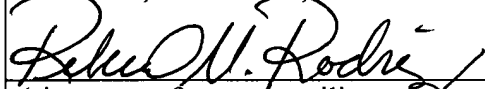


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON AUGUST 25, 2006

Sir:

In Response to the above-mentioned Office Action, the Applicant makes certain
 elections. This response is timely filed on October 25, 2006. Applicant hereby petitions for a
 one-month extension of time to respond. Please charge the extension fee of \$60.00 pursuant to
 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1), and/or any additional fees deemed payable, to Deposit Account No. 13-0019.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.